

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 18, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- A further preferred mixture according to the invention comprises the active compound clothianidin of the formula (I) and emamectin (III) or emamectin benzoate (IIIa). Emamectin and emamectin salts are also known as MK-244 from the Journal of Organic Chemistry, Vol. 59 (1994), 7704-7708, ~~US-P-4,4874,794~~
US-P-4,874,794, ~~US-P-5,5,288,710~~ US-P-5,288,710 and EP-00 089 202. --